



**U.S. ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS
REGULATORY PROGRAM
APPROVED JURISDICTIONAL DETERMINATION FORM (INTERIM)
NAVIGABLE WATERS PROTECTION RULE**

I. ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

Completion Date of Approved Jurisdictional Determination (AJD): 4/27/2021

ORM Number: 2006-03269-JLK

Associated JDs: N/A

Review Area Location¹: State/Territory: Wisconsin City: Howard County/Parish/Borough: Brown

Center Coordinates of Review Area: Latitude 44.59038 Longitude -88.08668

II. FINDINGS

A. Summary: Check all that apply. At least one box from the following list MUST be selected. Complete the corresponding sections/tables and summarize data sources.

- ☐ The review area is comprised entirely of dry land (i.e., there are no waters or water features, including wetlands, of any kind in the entire review area). Rationale: N/A or describe rationale.
- ☐ There are "navigable waters of the United States" within Rivers and Harbors Act jurisdiction within the review area (complete table in Section II.B).
- ☐ There are "waters of the United States" within Clean Water Act jurisdiction within the review area (complete appropriate tables in Section II.C).
- ☒ There are waters or water features excluded from Clean Water Act jurisdiction within the review area (complete table in Section II.D).

B. Rivers and Harbors Act of 1899 Section 10 (§ 10)²

§ 10 Name	§ 10 Size	§ 10 Criteria	Rationale for § 10 Determination
N/A.	N/A.	N/A.	N/A.

C. Clean Water Act Section 404

Territorial Seas and Traditional Navigable Waters ((a)(1) waters): ³				
(a)(1) Name	(a)(1) Size	(a)(1) Criteria	Rationale for (a)(1) Determination	
N/A.	N/A.	N/A.	N/A.	N/A.

Tributaries ((a)(2) waters):				
(a)(2) Name	(a)(2) Size	(a)(2) Criteria	Rationale for (a)(2) Determination	
N/A.	N/A.	N/A.	N/A.	N/A.

Lakes and ponds, and impoundments of jurisdictional waters ((a)(3) waters):				
(a)(3) Name	(a)(3) Size	(a)(3) Criteria	Rationale for (a)(3) Determination	
N/A.	N/A.	N/A.	N/A.	N/A.

Adjacent wetlands ((a)(4) waters):				
(a)(4) Name	(a)(4) Size	(a)(4) Criteria	Rationale for (a)(4) Determination	
N/A.	N/A.	N/A.	N/A.	N/A.

¹ Map(s)/figure(s) are attached to the AJD provided to the requestor.

² If the navigable water is not subject to the ebb and flow of the tide or included on the District's list of Rivers and Harbors Act Section 10 navigable waters list, do NOT use this document to make the determination. The District must continue to follow the procedure outlined in 33 CFR part 329.14 to make a Rivers and Harbors Act Section 10 navigability determination.

³ A stand-alone TNW determination is completed independently of a request for an AJD. A stand-alone TNW determination is conducted for a specific segment of river or stream or other type of waterbody, such as a lake, where upstream or downstream limits or lake borders are established. A stand-alone TNW determination should be completed following applicable guidance and should NOT be documented on the AJD Form.



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D. Excluded Waters or Features

Excluded waters ((b)(1) – (b)(12)): ⁴				
Exclusion Name	Exclusion Size		Exclusion ⁵	Rationale for Exclusion Determination
Wetland 1	0.13	acre(s)	(b)(5) Ditch that is not an (a)(1) or (a)(2) water, and those portions of a ditch constructed in an (a)(4) water that do not satisfy the conditions of (c)(1).	A review of historical aerial photos provided within the AJD request (taken 1938 and 1960) and Brown County GIS Mapping (taken in the summer of 1960 and 1978) demonstrate the review area historically was an agricultural field and did not show wetland signatures to support the presence of wetlands. Further review of historical aerial photos provided within the request indicate a paved two-lane roadway and corresponding roadside ditch (Wetland 1) was constructed within the review area between 1960 and 1978. Both curved through the review area from northwest to southeast. However, the roadway was subsequently removed before 2005 and the roadside ditch was left fallow. A review of ground level photos provided in the request indicate Wetland 1 is still currently surrounded by uplands involving commercial development to the west, northeast, and east, a paved roadway to the north, and forested areas to the south/southwest. A review of the wetland map and site photos provided in the AJD request and historical aerial photos, all indicate this feature is a man-made linear ditch constructed in uplands and designed to convey storm water runoff. A review of the Wisconsin Wetland Inventory and previously discussed aerial photos, also illustrates this feature does not relocate a tributary and was not constructed in a tributary or adjacent wetlands.

III. SUPPORTING INFORMATION

A. Select/enter all resources that were used to aid in this determination and attach data/maps to this document and/or references/citations in the administrative record, as appropriate.

- ☒ Information submitted by, or on behalf of, the applicant/consultant: [Evergreen Consultants, 2673 Lineville Road-No Matter What LLC, 2021 Wetland Determination.](#)

This information is sufficient for purposes of this AJD.

Rationale: [N/A](#)

- ☐ Data sheets prepared by the Corps: [Title\(s\) and/or date\(s\).](#)
- ☒ Photographs: [Aerial and Other: Google Earth and Brown County GIS Maps](#)
- ☐ Corps site visit(s) conducted on: [Date\(s\).](#)
- ☐ Previous Jurisdictional Determinations (AJDs or PJDs): [ORM Number\(s\) and date\(s\).](#)

⁴ Some excluded waters, such as (b)(2) and (b)(4), may not be specifically identified on the AJD form unless a requestor specifically asks a Corps district to do so. Corps districts may, in case-by-case instances, choose to identify some or all of these waters within the review area.

⁵ Because of the broad nature of the (b)(1) exclusion and in an effort to collect data on specific types of waters that would be covered by the (b)(1) exclusion, four sub-categories of (b)(1) exclusions were administratively created for the purposes of the AJD Form. These four sub-categories are not new exclusions, but are simply administrative distinctions and remain (b)(1) exclusions as defined by the NWPR.



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- ☐ Antecedent Precipitation Tool: provide detailed discussion in Section III.B.
- ☐ USDA NRCS Soil Survey: [Title\(s\) and/or date\(s\)](#).
- ☐ USFWS NWI maps: [Title\(s\) and/or date\(s\)](#).
- ☐ USGS topographic maps: [Title\(s\) and/or date\(s\)](#).

Other data sources used to aid in this determination:

Data Source (select)	Name and/or date and other relevant information
USGS Sources	N/A.
USDA Sources	N/A.
NOAA Sources	N/A.
USACE Sources	N/A.
State/Local wetland inventory maps	Wisconsin Wetland Inventory
FEMA/FIRM maps	Floodplain Maps

B. Typical year assessment(s): [N/A](#)

C. Additional comments to support AJD: [N/A](#)